

State of California  
Department of Parks and Recreation

**NOTICE OF EXEMPTION**

TO: Office of Planning and Research  
1400 Tenth Street  
Sacramento, CA 95814

FROM: Department of Parks and Recreation  
One Capitol Mall, Ste. 410  
Sacramento, CA 95814

**PROJECT TITLE:** Central Building Re-roof

**LOCATION:** Sutter's Fort State Historic Park

**COUNTY:** Sacramento

**DESCRIPTION OF THE NATURE AND PURPOSE OF PROJECT:** Re-roof the historic Central Building at Sutter's Fort State Historic Park to maintain and protect a Cultural Resource. Work will remove the existing, failing, non-historic roof; install plywood sheathing on top of the existing framing to strengthen the roof diaphragm with new fascia board to cover the plywood; install light gauge metal strips aligned with the rafters over the ridge to transfer shear; install combination shear and tension anchors and blocking and strapping to deliver seismic shear and tension loads; install new cedar shakes. DPR-approved standard project requirements have been incorporated into the Central Building Re-roof Project. A list of project-specific project requirements can be viewed by contacting the environmental coordinator listed below.

**PUBLIC AGENCY APPROVING THE PROJECT:** California Department of Parks and Recreation

**NAME OF DIVISION OR DISTRICT CARRYING OUT THE PROJECT:** Capital District

**EXEMPT STATUS:**

- ☐ Declared Emergency (Section 15269(a))  
☐ Emergency Project (Section 15269(b) and (c))  
☐ Statutory Exemption (Section: )  
☒ Categorical Exemption

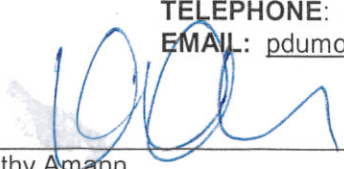
Class: 1, 2, 31

Section: 15301, 15302, 15331

**REASONS WHY PROJECT IS EXEMPT:** Project consists of the repair, maintenance and minor alteration of an existing public structure involving no expansion of use beyond current levels; replacement of existing structure where the new structure will be located on the same site as the structure replaced and have substantially the same purpose and capacity as the structure replaced and is included as "reroofing" in the California Department of Parks and Recreation's list of exempt activities in accordance with CCR §15300.4 and consists of the maintenance, repair and stabilization of historical resources in a manner consistent with *the Secretary of Interior's Standards for the Treatment of Historic Properties with Guidelines for Preserving, Rehabilitating, Restoring and Reconstructing Historic Buildings* (1995) Weeks and Grimmer.

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